## Spill Summary Report for NRC Report #989686

Report Date: 8/18/2016 Report Time: 12:54 PM EDT

**Region IX Hotline Log Entry Information** 

Receiver:

**Data ID:** 1051600

Material Type: Haz

Material / Amount: AMMONIA, ANHYDROUS (0 UNKNOWN AMOUNT);

**Location:** City: VERNON

County: LOS ANGELES

State: CA

Source of Pollution: CLOUGHERTY PACKING/FARMER JOHN MEATS

Water Body: None

**State Or EPA Responded:** 

Initial EPA Action: 2, 6
Status: 2 - Closed

**URL:** 

**NRC Spill Report** 

NATIONAL RESPONSE CENTER 1-800-424-8802
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Incident Report # 989686

INCIDENT DESCRIPTION

\*Report taken by: DPP6998 DPP6998 at 05:45 on 15-SEP-11

Incident Type: FIXED
Incident Cause: UNKNOWN

Affected Area:

The incident occurred on 15-SEP-11 at 02:15 local time.

Affected Medium: AIR ATMOSPHERE

REPORTING PARTY

Name: JOHN GONGALAZ

Organization: CLOUGHERTY PACKING/FARMER JOHN MEATS

Address: 3049 E VERNON AVE

VERNON, CA 90058

CLOUGHERTY PACKING/FARMER JOHN MEATS called for the responsible party.

PRIMARY Phone: (323)5834621

INCIDENT LOCATION

3049 E VERNON AVE County: LOS ANGELES

City: VERNON State: CA Zip: 90058

RELEASED MATERIAL(S)

CHRIS Code: AMA Official Material Name: AMMONIA, ANHYDROUS

Also Known As:

Qty Released: 0 UNKNOWN AMOUNT

DESCRIPTION OF INCIDENT

CALLER IS REPORTING A RELEASE OF ANHYDROUS AMMONIA DUE TO A POSSIBLE VALVE FAILURE, HOWEVER, THE CAUSE IS UNKNOWN AT THIS TIME. IT WAS REPORTED THAT 30 EMPLOYEES HAVE

BEEN EVACUATED.

SENSITIVE INFORMATION

https://webeoc.epa.gov/tERNS/SpillSummaryReport.aspx?nrc\_report\_no=989686&action... 8/18/2016

INCIDENT DETAILS

Package: NO Building ID:

Type of Fixed Object: FOOD PROCESSING PLANT

Power Generating Facility: NO

Generating Capacity:

Type of Fuel:

NPDES:

NPDES Compliance: UNKNOWN

IMPACT

Fire Involved: NO Fire Extinguished: UNKNOWN

INJURIES: NO Hospitalized: Empl/Crew: Passenger: FATALITIES: NO Empl/Crew: Passenger: Occupant:

EVACUATIONS: YES 30 Who Evacuated: EMPLOYEES Radius/Area:

Damages: NO

Hours Direction of

<u>Closure Type</u> <u>Description of Closure</u> <u>Closed</u> <u>Closure</u>

Air: N

Road: N Major Art

Waterway: N Track: N

Passengers Transferred: NO

Environmental Impact: UNKNOWN

Media Interest: NONE Community Impact due to Material:

REPORTING PARTY

Type of Organization: PRIVATE ENTERPRISE

SUSPECTED RESPONSIBLE PARTY

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REMEDIAL ACTIONS

ENGINEERS HAVE BEEN DISPATCHED.

Release Secured: NO Release Rate:

Estimated Release Duration:

WEATHER

Weather: OVERCAST, 70 F

ADDITIONAL AGENCIES NOTIFIED

Federal: NONE State/Local: NONE

State/Local On Scene: NONE
State Agency Number: NONE

NOTIFICATIONS BY NRC

CA U.S. ATTORNEY'S OFFICE NORTH (MAIN OFFICE)

15-SEP-11 05:56 (415)4367077

DOT CRISIS MANAGEMENT CENTER (MAIN OFFICE)

15-SEP-11 05:56 (202)3661863

U.S. EPA IX (MAIN OFFICE)

(415)2279500

U.S. EPA IX (SECONDARY)

15-SEP-11 05:56 (415)2279500

FEMA REGION 09 (SITUATION AWARENESS UNIT)

15-SEP-11 05:56 (510)6277802

USCG NATIONAL COMMAND CENTER (MAIN OFFICE)

(202)3722100

NATIONAL INFRASTRUCTURE COORD CTR (MAIN OFFICE)

15-SEP-11 05:56 (202)2829201

NOAA RPTS FOR CA (MAIN OFFICE)

15-SEP-11 05:56 (206)5264911

NATIONAL RESPONSE CENTER HQ (MAIN OFFICE)

(202)2671136

NTSB PIPELINE (MAIN OFFICE)

15-SEP-11 05:56 (202)3146293

CA STATE EMERGENCY SERVICES (MAIN OFFICE)

15-SEP-11 05:56 (916)2621621

STATE TERRORISM & THREAT ASSESS CTR (COMMAND CENTER SACRAMENTO)

15-SEP-11 05:56 (916)8433940

CITY OF YUMA EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT (COMMAND CENTER)

15-SEP-11 05:56 (928)3734861

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

NO ADDITIONAL INFORMATION.

\*\*\* END INCIDENT REPORT # 989686 \*\*\*

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